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Introduced by:

SEN. WILLIAMS, 29th Dist.

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***AN ACT CONCERNING DEFICIT MITIGATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 2009.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 17b-371 of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
3 *passage*):

4 (a) [There is] On July 1, 2009, there shall be established within the
5 General Fund, a separate, nonlapsing account which shall be known as
6 the "Long-Term Care Reinvestment account". The account shall contain
7 any moneys required by law and this section to be deposited in the
8 account. Any funds resulting from the enhanced federal medical
9 assistance percentage received by the state under the Money Follows
10 the Person demonstration project pursuant to Section 6071 of the
11 Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 shall be deposited in the account.

12 Sec. 2. Subsection (d) of section 17b-371 of the general statutes is
13 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*

14 passage):

15 (d) On or before January 1, [2009] 2010, and annually thereafter, the
 16 Commissioner of Social Services shall submit a report, in accordance
 17 with section 11-4a, to the Governor and to the joint standing
 18 committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
 19 relating to human services and appropriations and the budgets of state
 20 agencies concerning the long-term care reinvestment account
 21 established under this section. The report shall include financial
 22 information concerning the money in the account, including, but not
 23 limited to, information on the number, amount and type of
 24 expenditures from the fund during the prior calendar year and
 25 estimates of the impact of the fund on present and future Medicaid
 26 expenditures.

27 Sec. 3. Section 21 of public act 07-1 of the June special session, as
 28 amended by public act 08-1 of the November 24 special session, is
 29 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
 30 *passage*):

31 (a) The following sums are appropriated from the General Fund for
 32 the purposes herein specified for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007:

T1 GENERAL FUND

T2 \$

T3

T4 LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

T5 Other Expenses 150,000

T6 Connecticut Academy of Science and 400,000

T7 Engineering

T8 AGENCY TOTAL 550,000

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T10 SECRETARY OF THE STATE

T11 Other Expenses 1,500,000

T12

T13 OFFICE OF POLICY AND

T14	MANAGEMENT	
T15	Contingency Needs	12,000,000
T16	Implement Energy Initiatives	5,000,000
T17	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL	
T18	GOVERNMENTS	
T19	Regional Performance Incentive Program	10,000,000
T20	AGENCY TOTAL	27,000,000
T21		
T22	OFFICE OF WORKFORCE	
T23	COMPETITIVENESS	
T24	Film Industry Equipment	500,000
T25	Film Industry Study	250,000
T26	AGENCY TOTAL	750,000
T27		
T28	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS	
T29	Other Expenses	850,000
T30	[Permanent Upgrades to 61 Woodland	1,000,000
T31	Street	
T32	AGENCY TOTAL	1,850,000]
T33		
T34	DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE	
T35	Other Expenses	58,500
T36		
T37	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY	
T38	Other Expenses	150,000
T39		
T40	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITY	
T41	CONTROL	
T42	State-wide Energy Efficiency and Outreach	2,000,000
T43		
T44	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	
T45	Dairy Farmers	4,000,000
T46		
T47	DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL	
T48	PROTECTION	
T49	Clean Diesel Buses	8,000,000
T50	Griswold Recreational Fields	50,000

T51	Tidal Boundaries Study		50,000
T52	AGENCY TOTAL		8,100,000
T53			
T54	COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND		
T55	TOURISM		
T56	Nathan Hale Homestead		250,000
T57	Bushnell Memorial		2,000,000
T58	Fairfield Arts Council		150,000
T59	Hartford Arena Study		250,000
T60	AGENCY TOTAL		2,650,000
T61			
T62	DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND		
T63	COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT		
T64	Biofuels	[4,650,000]	<u>3,600,000</u>
T65	Deferred Maintenance for Public Housing		10,000,000
T66	Home CT		4,000,000
T67	AGENCY TOTAL	[18,650,000]	<u>17,600,000</u>
T68			
T69	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH		
T70	Personal Services		500,000
T71	Other Expenses		4,561,325
T72	Equipment		775,000
T73	AGENCY TOTAL		5,836,325
T74			
T75	DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL		
T76	SERVICES		
T77	Other Expenses		1,778,321
T78			
T79	DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH		
T80	AND ADDICTION SERVICES		
T81	Other Expenses		170,000
T82	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL		
T83	GOVERNMENTS		
T84	Grants for Substance Abuse Services		500,000
T85	AGENCY TOTAL		670,000
T86			
T87	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES		

T88	Other Expenses		3,200,000
T89	Crisis Hospital Fund		30,000,000
T90	AGENCY TOTAL		33,200,000
T91			
T92	DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION		
T93	Personal Services		208,836
T94	Other Expenses		150,000
T95	DNA Epicenter in New London		250,000
T96	Distance Learning Initiative		850,000
T97	Technical School Supplies		500,000
T98	Longitudinal Data Systems		4,900,000
T99	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS		
T100	School Safety	[8,000,000]	<u>7,000,000</u>
T101	Fuel Cell Projects		800,000
T102	AGENCY TOTAL	[15,658,836]	<u>14,658,836</u>
T103			
T104	COMMISSION ON THE DEAF AND		
T105	HEARING IMPAIRED		
T106	Part-Time Interpreters		320,000
T107			
T108	STATE LIBRARY		
T109	Arts Inventory		75,000
T110			
T111	DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION		
T112	Other Expenses		100,000
T113	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL		
T114	GOVERNMENTS		
T115	Higher Education State Matching Grant		4,185,000
T116	AGENCY TOTAL		4,285,000
T117			
T118	UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT		
T119	Operating Expenses		400,000
T120			
T121	UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT		
T122	HEALTH CENTER		

T123	Operating Expenses	200,000
T124		
T125	TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BOARD	
T126	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL	
T127	GOVERNMENTS	
T128	Retirement Contributions	300,000,000
T129		
T130	REGIONAL COMMUNITY - TECHNICAL	
T131	COLLEGES	
T132	Operating Expenses	520,000
T133		
T134	DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION	
T135	Cheshire Prison Effluence	500,000
T136		
T137	DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND	
T138	FAMILIES	
T139	Other Expenses	300,000
T140	Adolescent Psychiatric Services	300,000
T141	AGENCY TOTAL	600,000
T142		
T143	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
T144	Bus Operations	4,494,500
T145	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	
T146	Town Aid Road Grants	16,000,000
T147	Elderly and Disabled Demand Responsive	
T148	Transportation Program	3,900,000
T149	AGENCY TOTAL	24,394,500
T150		
T151	DEBT SERVICE - STATE TREASURER	
T152	Defeasance (ECLM and Clean Energy)	85,000,000
T153	Supportive Housing Debt Service	3,000,000
T154	AGENCY TOTAL	88,000,000
T155		
T156	MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS	
T157	ADMINISTERED BY THE	
T158	COMPTROLLER	
T159		

T160	STATE COMPTROLLER -	
T161	MISCELLANEOUS	
T162	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	
T163	Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes	
T164	on State Property	13,999,858
T165	Grants to Towns	13,497,038
T166	Reimbursements to Towns for Loss of	
T167	Taxes on Private Tax-Exempt Property	13,997,038
T168	AGENCY TOTAL	41,493,934
T169		
T170	STATE COMPTROLLER - FRINGE	
T171	BENEFITS	
T172	State Employees Health Service Cost	4,000,000
T173	Other Post Employment Benefits	10,000,000
T174	AGENCY TOTAL	14,000,000
T175		
T176	TOTAL - GENERAL FUND	[\$599,190,416] <u>\$596,140,416</u>

33 (b) Except as provided in subsections (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j),
 34 (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (p), and (q), of this section, funds appropriated in
 35 subsection (a) of this section shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall
 36 continue to be available for expenditure during the fiscal year ending
 37 June 30, 2008.

38 (c) Funds appropriated to Legislative Management in subsection (a)
 39 of this section, for Other Expenses, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and
 40 shall continue to be available for expenditure for such purpose as
 41 follows: The sum of \$75,000 shall be available during the fiscal year
 42 ending June 30, 2008; the sum of \$5,000 shall be available during the
 43 fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

44 (d) Funds appropriated to the Office of Policy and Management in
 45 subsection (a) of this section, for Contingency Needs, shall not lapse on
 46 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for
 47 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$6,000,000 shall be available

48 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of \$6,000,000 shall
49 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

50 (e) Funds appropriated to the Department of Environmental
51 Protection in subsection (a) of this section, for Clean Diesel Buses, shall
52 not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
53 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$5,000,000 shall
54 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of
55 \$3,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
56 2009.

57 (f) Funds appropriated to the Department of Education in
58 subsection (a) of this section, for Longitudinal Data Systems, shall not
59 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
60 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$3,650,000 shall
61 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of
62 \$1,250,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
63 2009.

64 (g) Funds appropriated to the Department of Education in
65 subsection (a) of this section, for School Safety, shall not lapse on June
66 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for such
67 purpose as follows: The sum of \$5,000,000 shall be available during the
68 fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of ~~[\$3,000,000]~~ \$2,000,000 shall
69 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

70 (h) Funds appropriated to the State Library in subsection (a) of this
71 section, for Arts Inventory, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall
72 continue to be available for expenditure for such purpose as follows:
73 The sum of \$75,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending
74 June 30, 2008.

75 (i) Funds appropriated to the Department of Higher Education in
76 subsection (a) of this section, for Other Expenses, shall not lapse on
77 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for
78 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$100,000 shall be available during

79 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008.

80 (j) Funds appropriated to the Teachers' Retirement Board in
81 subsection (a) of this section, for Retirement Contributions, shall not
82 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
83 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$90,000,000 shall
84 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of
85 \$210,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
86 2009.

87 (k) Funds appropriated to the Department of Transportation in
88 subsection (a) of this section, for Bus Operations, shall not lapse on
89 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for
90 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$2,200,000 shall be available
91 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of \$2,294,500 shall
92 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

93 (l) Funds appropriated to the Department of Transportation in
94 subsection (a) of this section, for Town Aid Road Grants, shall not
95 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
96 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$8,000,000 shall
97 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of
98 \$8,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
99 2009.

100 (m) Funds appropriated to the Debt Service-State Treasurer in
101 subsection (a) of this section, for Supportive Housing Debt Service,
102 shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
103 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$3,000,000 shall
104 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

105 (n) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations
106 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for
107 the Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes on State Property, shall
108 not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
109 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$6,999,929 shall

110 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of
111 \$6,999,929 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
112 2009.

113 (o) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations
114 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for
115 Grants to Towns, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to
116 be available for expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of
117 \$6,748,519 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
118 2008; the sum of \$6,748,519 shall be available during the fiscal year
119 ending June 30, 2009.

120 (p) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations
121 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for
122 the Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes on Private Tax-Exempt
123 Property, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be
124 available for expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of
125 \$6,998,519 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,
126 2008; the sum of \$6,998,519 shall be available during the fiscal year
127 ending June 30, 2009.

128 (q) Funds appropriated to the State Comptroller – Fringe Benefits in
129 subsection (a) of this section, for State Employee Health Service Cost,
130 shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for
131 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$4,000,000 shall
132 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

133 Sec. 4. (*Effective from passage*) The amounts appropriated to the
134 following agencies in section 11 of public act 07-1 of the June special
135 session, as amended by section 68 of public act 07-5 of the June special
136 session and section 3 of public act 08-1 of the November 24 special
137 session, are reduced by the following amounts for the fiscal year
138 ending June 30, 2009:

T177 GENERAL FUND

T178 \$

T179	OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT	
T180	Other Expenses	225,000
T181	Minor Capital Improvements	225,000
T182		
T183	AUDITORS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS	
T184	Personal Services	1,000,000
T185	Other Expenses	39,050
T186	Equipment	5,000
T187		
T188	ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION	
T189	Personal Services	50,000
T190		
T191	OFFICE OF STATE ETHICS	
T192	Personal Services	150,000
T193		
T194	FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION	
T195	Personal Services	50,000
T196		
T197	JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION	
T198	Personal Services	5,000
T199		
T200	OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT	
T201	Personal Services	100,000
T202	Other Expenses	25,000
T203	Automated Budget System and Data Base Link	20,000
T204	Justice Assistance Grants	100,000
T205	Distressed Municipalities	491,000
T206		
T207	STATE MARSHAL COMMISSION	
T208	Other Expenses	15,000
T209		
T210	DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	
T211	AND HOMELAND SECURITY	
T212	Personal Services	75,000
T213		
T214	STATE DEPARTMENT ON AGING	
T215	Personal Services	314,212
T216	Other Expenses	115,234
T217	Equipment	950
T218		
T219	JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT	

T220	Personal Services	700,000
T221	Youthful Offender Services	750,000
T222		
T223	TOTAL - GENERAL FUND	4,455,446

139 Sec. 5. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 9-701 of the
140 general statutes, the sum of \$7,500,000 shall be transferred from the
141 Citizens' Election Fund and credited to the resources of the General
142 Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

143 Sec. 6. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
144 subparagraph (A) of subdivision (2) of subsection (c) of section 4-28e of
145 the general statutes, the sum of \$6,000,000 shall be transferred from the
146 Tobacco and Health Trust Fund and credited to the resources of the
147 General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

148 Sec. 7. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
149 subparagraph (B) of subdivision (2) of subsection (c) of section 4-28e of
150 the general statutes, the sum of \$3,000,000 shall be transferred from the
151 Biomedical Research Trust Fund and credited to the resources of the
152 General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

153 Sec. 8. (*Effective from passage*) (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of
154 section 16a-22l of the general statutes, the sum of \$5,000,000 shall be
155 transferred from the fuel oil conservation account and credited to the
156 resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

157 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of said section, no transfers shall
158 be made to the fuel oil conservation account for tax payments due in
159 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

160 Sec. 9. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 54-56k of the
161 general statutes, the sum of \$2,000,000 shall be transferred from the
162 pretrial account and credited to the resources of the General Fund for
163 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

164 Sec. 10. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
165 section 22a-449b of the general statutes, no transfers shall be made to
166 the underground storage tank petroleum clean-up account, established
167 under section 22a-449c of the general statutes, for tax payments due on
168 January 31, 2009.

169 Sec. 11. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 22a-451 of
170 the general statutes, the sum of \$3,000,000 shall be transferred from the
171 emergency spill response account and credited to the resources of the
172 General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

173 Sec. 12. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
174 section 14-164m of the general statutes, the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be
175 transferred from the Emissions Enterprise Fund and credited to the
176 resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

177 Sec. 13. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 3-55i of the
178 general statutes, the sum of \$150,000 shall be transferred from the
179 Mashantucket Pequot and Mohegan Fund and credited to the
180 resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

181 Sec. 14. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
182 section 16-245m of the general statutes, the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be
183 transferred from the energy conservation and load management
184 account and credited to the resources of the General Fund for the fiscal
185 year ending June 30, 2009.

186 Sec. 15. Section 22a-245a of the general statutes is repealed and the
187 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective April 1, 2009, and*
188 *applicable to periods commencing on or after December 1, 2008*):

189 (a) Each deposit initiator shall open a special interest-bearing
190 account at a Connecticut branch of a financial institution, as defined in
191 section 45a-557a, to the credit of the deposit initiator. Each deposit
192 initiator shall deposit in such account an amount equal to the refund
193 value established pursuant to subsection (a) of section 22a-244, for each

194 beverage container sold by such deposit initiator. Such deposit shall be
195 made not more than three business days after the date such beverage
196 container is sold, provided for any beverage container sold during the
197 period from December 1, 2008, to December 31, 2008, inclusive, such
198 deposit shall be made not later than January 5, 2009. All interest,
199 dividends and returns earned on the special account shall be paid
200 directly into such account. Such moneys shall be kept separate and
201 apart from all other moneys in the possession of the deposit initiator.

202 (b) Any reimbursement of the refund value for a redeemed
203 beverage container shall be paid from the deposit initiator's special
204 account. Upon the Commissioner of Environmental Protection's
205 adoption of written policies and procedures establishing an accounting
206 system under section 22a-245, any such reimbursement shall be paid in
207 the manner prescribed in such policies and procedures until the
208 adoption of final regulations under said section 22a-245. Upon the
209 adoption of such regulations, any such reimbursement shall be paid in
210 accordance with such regulations.

211 (c) Each deposit initiator shall submit a report on March 15, 2009, for
212 the period from December 1, 2008, to February 28, 2009, inclusive. Each
213 deposit initiator shall submit a report on July 31, 2009, for the period
214 from March 1, 2009, to June 30, 2009, inclusive, and thereafter shall
215 submit a quarterly report for the immediately preceding calendar
216 quarter one month after the close of such quarter. Each such report
217 shall be submitted to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection,
218 on a form prescribed by the commissioner and with such information
219 the commissioner deems necessary, including, but not limited to: (1)
220 The balance in the special account at the beginning of the quarter for
221 which the report is prepared; (2) a list of all deposits credited to such
222 account during such quarter, including all refund values paid to the
223 deposit initiator and all interest, dividends or returns received on the
224 account; (3) a list of all withdrawals from such account during such
225 quarter, [and] all service charges and overdraft charges on the account
226 and all payments made pursuant to subsection (d) of this section; and

227 (4) the balance in the account at the close of the quarter for which the
228 report is prepared.

229 (d) On or before April 30, 2009, each deposit initiator shall pay the
230 balance outstanding in the special account that is attributable to the
231 period from December 1, 2008, to March 31, 2009, inclusive, to the
232 Commissioner of Environmental Protection for deposit in the General
233 Fund. Thereafter the balance outstanding in the special account that is
234 attributable to the immediately preceding calendar quarter shall be
235 paid by the deposit initiator one month after the close of such quarter
236 to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection for deposit in the
237 General Fund. If the amount of the required payment pursuant to this
238 subsection is not paid by the date seven days after the due date, a
239 penalty of ten per cent of the amount due shall be added to the amount
240 due and an additional five per cent penalty shall be added for each day
241 thereafter that such payment is not submitted. Any such penalty shall
242 not be paid from funds maintained in the special account.

243 (e) If moneys deposited in the special account are insufficient to pay
244 for withdrawals authorized pursuant to subsection (b) of this section,
245 the amount of such deficiency shall be subtracted from the next
246 succeeding payment or payments due pursuant to subsection (d) of
247 this section until the amount of the deficiency has been subtracted in
248 full.

249 ~~[(d)]~~ (f) The State Treasurer may, independently or upon request of
250 the commissioner, examine the accounts and records of any deposit
251 initiator maintained under sections 22a-243 to 22a-245, inclusive, and
252 any related accounts and records, including receipts, disbursements
253 and such other items as the State Treasurer deems appropriate.

254 ~~[(e)]~~ (g) The Attorney General may, independently or upon
255 complaint of the commissioner, institute any appropriate action or
256 proceeding to enforce any provision of this section or any regulation
257 adopted pursuant to section 22a-245 to implement the provisions of
258 this section.

259 Sec. 16. (NEW) (*Effective April 1, 2009*) At the end of each fiscal year
260 commencing with the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2009, the
261 Comptroller is authorized to record as revenue for such fiscal year the
262 amount of outstanding balances required to be paid to the state under
263 section 11 of public act 08-1 of the November 24 special session and
264 that is received by the state not later than five business days after the
265 last day of July immediately following the end of such fiscal year.

266 Sec. 17. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$15,000,000, exclusive of
267 assessments, shall be transferred from the Banking Fund, established
268 under section 36a-65 of the general statutes, and credited to the
269 resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

270 Sec. 18. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$4,000,000 shall be
271 transferred from the Workers' Compensation Administration Fund,
272 established under section 31-344a of the general statutes, and credited
273 to the resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30,
274 2009.

275 Sec. 19. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
276 section 16-331cc of the general statutes, the sum of \$2,000,000 shall be
277 transferred from the public, educational and governmental
278 programming and education technology investment account and
279 credited to the resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending
280 June 30, 2009.

281 Sec. 20. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
282 section 16-48a of the general statutes, the sum of \$2,000,000 shall be
283 transferred from the Consumer Counsel and Public Utility Control
284 Fund and credited to the resources of the General Fund for the fiscal
285 year ending June 30, 2009.

286 Sec. 21. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 3-99c of the
287 general statutes, the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be transferred from the
288 commercial recording account and credited to the resources of the
289 General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

290 Sec. 22. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
291 section 7-520 of the general statutes, the sum of \$1,166,440 shall be
292 transferred from the local emergency relief account and credited to the
293 resources of the Transportation Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30,
294 2009.

295 Sec. 23. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$287,000 shall be
296 transferred from the Insurance Recoveries account and credited to the
297 resources of the Transportation Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30,
298 2009.

299 Sec. 24. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$1,200,000 shall be
300 transferred from the General Services Revolving Fund and credited to
301 the resources of the General Fund revenue for the fiscal year ending
302 June 30, 2009.

303 Sec. 25. Section 2 of public act 08-1 of the November 24 special
304 session is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof
305 (*Effective from passage*):

306 (a) The unexpended balance of funds appropriated to the
307 Department of Economic and Community Development, for Biofuels,
308 in section 21 of public act 07-1 of the June special session, as amended
309 by this act, shall continue to be available for expenditure for such
310 purpose during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, as follows: (1) The
311 sum of [\$3,650,000] \$2,600,000 shall be available for production grants,
312 and (2) the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be available for the fuel
313 diversification research grant program.

314 (b) The Department of Economic and Community Development
315 may enter into one or more agreements, pursuant to chapter 55a of the
316 general statutes, for the distribution of grants under subsection (a) of
317 this section or the operation of the program under subdivision (2) of
318 said subsection.

319 Sec. 26. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Governor shall direct all

320 executive branch agencies to reduce, by at least ten million dollars in
321 the aggregate, the cost of personal services and consulting agreements
322 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, in accordance with the plan
323 submitted under subsection (b) of this section.

324 (b) On or before February 13, 2009, the Secretary of the Office of
325 Policy and Management shall submit a plan, in accordance with
326 section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing committees of
327 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
328 government administration and elections and appropriations and the
329 budgets of state agencies to reduce General Fund spending by at least
330 ten million dollars in the aggregate by executive branch agencies for
331 personal services and consulting agreements. The plan shall identify
332 all personal services and consulting agreements to be affected for each
333 executive branch agency and shall specify the amount of the reduction
334 for each such agreement. The plan shall include an analysis of the
335 impact on program services and identify any penalties that might be
336 incurred for any agreement included in the plan.

337 Sec. 27. (*Effective from passage*) On or before February 13, 2009, the
338 Commissioner of Children and Families shall submit a plan, in
339 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint
340 standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of
341 matters relating to human services and appropriations and the budgets
342 of state agencies to establish services at Riverview Hospital for
343 Children and Youth, to be delivered on the grounds of the facility, for
344 children and youth requiring residential treatment who would
345 normally be placed in out-of-state facilities. The plan shall be capable
346 of implementation on or before April 1, 2009, or as soon after such date
347 as is practicable.

348 Sec. 28. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Any payment made
349 pursuant to Public Law 110-185, the Economic Stimulus Act of 2008, to
350 an individual who is an applicant for or recipient of benefits or
351 services under any state or local program financed in whole or in part

352 with state funds, that provides such benefits or services based on need,
353 shall not be counted as income, nor shall any such payment be counted
354 as resources for the month of receipt or the following two months, for
355 the purpose of determining the individual's or any other individual's
356 eligibility for such benefits or services or the amount of such benefits
357 or services.

358 (b) Any such payment shall not be counted as income for purposes
359 of determining the eligibility for, or the benefit level of, such
360 individual under any property tax exemption, property tax credit or
361 rental rebate program financed in whole or in part with state funds,
362 nor shall such payment be counted as income for purposes of any
363 property tax relief program that a municipality may, at its option,
364 offer.

365 Sec. 29. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of
366 section 4-85 of the general statutes, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
367 2009, the Governor shall not reduce any allotment requisition or
368 allotment in force for the Agricultural Experiment Station, Personal
369 Services, or the Judicial Department, Equipment, Alternative
370 Incarceration Program or Justice Education Center, Inc. The full
371 amount of any allotment requisition or allotment in force for the
372 Agricultural Experiment Station, Personal Services, or the Judicial
373 Department, Equipment, Alternative Incarceration Program or Justice
374 Education Center, Inc. identified in the "3rd Round Rescissions" section
375 of the Governor's Deficit Mitigation Plan for Fiscal Year 2008-2009,
376 dated December 17, 2008, and reduced by the Governor shall be
377 restored and such funds shall be made available for expenditure by the
378 entity for which such allotment was reduced.

379 Sec. 30. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$1,704,890 appropriated to
380 the Department of Economic and Community Development in section
381 21 of public act 07-1 of the June special session, as amended by this act,
382 for Deferred Maintenance for Housing, is transferred to Tax
383 Abatement, and such funds shall be available for expenditure during

384 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, for the program established under
385 subsection (a) of section 8-216 of the general statutes.

386 Sec. 31. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$2,204,000 appropriated to
387 the Department of Economic and Community Development in section
388 21 of public act 07-1 of the June special session, as amended by this act,
389 for Deferred Maintenance for Housing, is transferred to Payment in
390 Lieu of Taxes, and such funds shall be available for expenditure during
391 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, for the program established under
392 subsection (b) of section 8-216 of the general statutes.

393 Sec. 32. Subsection (d) of section 59 of public act 07-1 of the June
394 special session is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
395 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

396 (d) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 4-28e of the general
397 statutes, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the sum of \$11,000,000
398 shall be transferred from the Tobacco and Health Trust Fund as
399 follows: \$7,300,000 to the Department of Social Services, for the
400 implementation and administration of the Charter Oak Health Plan,
401 and \$3,700,000 to be credited to the resources of the General Fund.

402 Sec. 33. (*Effective from passage*) The sum of \$274,000 is appropriated
403 to the Department of Administrative Services, from the General Fund,
404 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, for Other Expenses, to be
405 distributed to state agencies that contract for custodial services with
406 contractors employing workers who (1) are entitled to receive the
407 standard rate of wages under section 31-57f of the general statutes, and
408 (2) receive health care benefits to assist in covering the cost of such
409 benefits for the workers and their dependents. Such assistance shall be
410 in addition to any other amounts the state is required to pay under
411 said section or by contract to cover the cost of health care benefits for
412 such workers and their dependents.

413 Sec. 34. Section 2 of public act 08-68 and section 8 of public act 08-2
414 of the August special session are repealed. (*Effective from passage*)

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	17b-371(a)
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	17b-371(d)
Sec. 3	<i>from passage</i>	PA 07-1 of the June Sp. Sess., Sec. 21
Sec. 4	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 5	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 6	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 7	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 8	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 9	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 10	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 11	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 12	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 13	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 14	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 15	<i>April 1, 2009, and applicable to periods commencing on or after December 1, 2008</i>	22a-245a
Sec. 16	<i>April 1, 2009</i>	New section
Sec. 17	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 18	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 19	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 20	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Sec. 22	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Sec. 24	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 25	<i>from passage</i>	PA 08-1 of the November 24 Sp. Sess., Sec. 2
Sec. 26	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 27	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 28	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 29	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 30	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 31	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Sec. 32	<i>from passage</i>	PA 07-1 of the June Sp. Sess., Sec. 59(d)
Sec. 33	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 34	<i>from passage</i>	Repealer section

Statement of Purpose:

To reduce appropriated expenditures from the General Fund, to redirect resources from other funds into the General Fund and to make additional implementing changes necessary to mitigate the current year budget deficit.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]